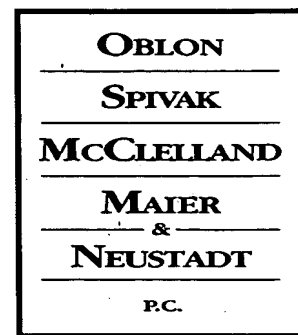




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RE: Application Serial No.: 10/772,375
Applicants: Satoshi TANIGUCHI, et al.
Filing Date: February 6, 2004
For: FIELD-EFFECT SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND
METHOD FOR MAKING THE SAME
Group Art Unit: 2813
Examiner: NGUYEN, TUAN H.

SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §1.181(a)(3)

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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SIR:

This is a Petition pursuant to 37 CFR §1.181(a)(3) requesting that the examiner supply Applicants a copy of the below noted PTO-892 that properly indicates consideration of Mishra et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,053,348) that was relied on in the Action mailed May 2, 2004, to reject Claims 1-9.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

On May 2, 2004, an Office Action was mailed that relied on Mishra et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,053,348) to reject Claims 1-9. However, while this reference was properly cited in the parent application, it was not properly cited on the PTO-892 that was attached to the Office Action mailed on May 2, 2004.

ACTION REQUESTED

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner provide Applicants a copy of a PTO-892 that properly cites Mishra et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,053,348).

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